

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 7, 1894.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

"The mortgagor—
Like one that on a lonesome road
Doth walk in fear and dread,
And having once turned round walks
on,
And turns no more his head;
Because he knows a frightful fiend
Doth close behind him tread."

Mrs. Col. Folk is very ill.
Ladies' Waterproofs for 69¢ at Peaks.

Be praised, not for your ancestors,
but your virtues.

Sam Jones will lecture at Greenwood on Nov. 22.

Lace Curtains from 50¢ to \$1.00 per at Peaks's Racket.

In scandal, as in robbery, the receiver is worse than the thief.

When a cornstalk tassels too soon, you can look out for a nubbin.

Peaks is the place to get all kinds of bargains unheard of before.

Children's Table Chairs and Rockers at 50¢, former prices 75¢, at Ramsey & Bland's.

One fiddle is just as good as a whole brass band to dance with if your heart is feeling light.

A man that can plow in the new ground and not cuss a little is mighty nigh fit for heaven.

Miss Sophie Abney left last Saturday to teach a school in the Ridge Spring neighborhood.

A cornob pipe is not aristocratic, but it smokes as much as one that is not paid for.

It is a pity some people cannot give a cup of cold water to a disciple without spilling it on him.

Messrs. Hammond & Bell have removed their grocery store to their old stand in the Parker building.

The roar of Niagara has been photographed, and may be heard in any part of America for a small fee.

A philosopher is a man who doesn't attempt to argue unless he knows he can knock out his opponent.

"Mamma," said Mabel, "if people eat up all the toadstools, what will the toads do when they want to sit down?"

Your money will hold out longer if you will trade with those houses that advertise in the old reliable ADVERTISER.

Charles Lindsay, near Chappells, lost his mill and gin by fire last Monday night. As he did not get Monday he thinks it was set on fire.

We are showing the largest and best line of Straw Mattings ever shown in Edgefield and at lower prices than ever, at Ramsey & Bland's.

Mr. John C. Lott, Jr., will go over to Augusta this, Wednesday, evening on a Pledge(r) trip. Be careful John, and don't let the train leave you in Augusta.

We carry a larger stock of Buggies than all the houses in Edgefield county combined, consequently we are in a position to save you money. Ramsey & Bland.

The people in charge of the Greenwood county movement have filed with the Secretary of State a map of the proposed county and all the papers appertaining thereto.

We are in receipt of the first number of The Pee Dee Baptist, published at Wadesboro, N. C., by T. W. Adams & Co., and edited by Rev. J. Q. Adams, both natives of Edgefield county.

Norman Youngblood, colored, has opened a beef market and restaurant on the corner next to the blacksmith shops. Norman sells nothing but stall fed beefs, fat and delicious. See his advertisement in another column.

Misses Ida and Kate Dubois, Eliza Neal, and Julia Lofton, of our Pittsburg suburbs, have joined our village Baptist church and will be baptized next Sunday. These conversions were the result of Rev. Mr. Brabham's preaching at the quarry.

Jim Shaffer, who gins for Mr. John Blocker in the Elmwood section, had the misfortune to have his hand cut off in the gin last Tuesday. The physicians found it necessary to amputate the arm, and he is in a critical condition at this writing.

Mr. M. A. DeLoach, who lives three miles from Edgefield, has put up seven stacks of pea vines this season so constructed that they look fit for the habitation of man. They have hallways so that you can pass clear through from one side to the other, and Bud Russell, who has seen them and walked through them, says they are good enough for anybody to live in.

Next Saturday there will be a transit of Mercury across the face of the sun. Mercury is the smallest visible planet and is the closest to the sun of all the known planets. It will strike the disk of the sun about 10 o'clock and will be about five hours in crossing. It will not be visible to the naked eye, of course, but you can see it with a small telescope and a piece of smoked glass. A good eye may see it with a smoked glass only.

Cotton seed have dropped to 13¢ cents a bushel in this market.

Hard Time prices at Peak's Racket Store.

Buggy Whips at any price you want at Ramsey & Bland's.

The annual meeting of the County Commissioners is held today, Wednesday.

Mrs. Barwell Jones, who has been quite sick for the past week, we are glad to say is convalescing.

Married, by Rev. G. W. Bussey, Oct. 28th, at the bride's home, Mr. James Freeland and Miss Bessie Crawford.

Two pounds of cotton for one pound of bacon is pretty steep, and a reminder to the farmers to make their own bacon.

One of the phenomena of these phenomenally hard times was seen in one of our Edgefield banks on Monday of this week. A farmer, grizzled and gray with fifty winters, walked into this bank with two dozen eggs on his arm, sidled up to the cashier's window and asked to have these eggs credited on his note.

At Flynn's Auction House, Augusta, there is now going on a terrible Slashing and Cutting of prices. Flynn received instructions yesterday to cut the prices of Clothing to half what they have been sold at. You can buy a very good every day suit for a working man for \$2.50. Just think everything else cut in proportion.

During Court. While in attendance at court next week call in and see Peak's remarkable bargains; you will be astonished beyond measure.

Chance to Make Money And a great deal of it. Read Mr. Mahon's advertisement of county rights to sell. Read it carefully and then let go the dollars, secure the territory, get rich, and live happy evermore. Address Mr. Mahon at Newberry, S. C. for particulars.

Oyster Supper. The ladies of our village Presbyterian Church will have an oyster supper on Monday night, the 12th of November, in rooms of the Burnett building over Mr. E. J. Norris's store. There will be oysters prepared in various ways, salads, coffee, etc. Do not neglect so great an opportunity to regale the inner man, and also to aid so worthy a cause.

Do You Intend Taking Boarders This Winter?

If any of our readers desire to accommodate any Northern boarders this winter and will write to The Recreation Department, The Outlook, 13 Astor Place, New York, telling your post office address, the nearest railroad station, whether hotel or private residence, the distance from station, the number of people you can accommodate, and prices by the week, The Outlook will be glad to tell its large constituency of your house as occasion may offer. The Outlook makes no charge to any of our readers for this service. Address Recreation Department, The Outlook Co., 15 Astor Place, New York City.

Aroused to Quick Action.

We are to do business. Can't afford to let grass grow under our feet. Activity, enthusiasm, and alertness is our motto. It is a fact well known and tacitly admitted, our prices are matchless, and any competent critic who merely glances through our stock will tell you that our Oak and Poplar suits of furniture are perfect in respect to style, workmanship, and design. These what excuse have you for buying furniture anywhere else? Then unprecedented bargains ought to harmonize with your intensest economical thought: Five dollar Bureaus for \$4.00; \$25 Suits for \$20; \$10 Bureaus for \$8; \$3.00 Poplar Beds for \$2; Chairs from 50c up. RAMSEY & BLAND.

You are Invited.

Mr. R. L. Fox extends an invitation to all his friends to inspect, at his Fall opening, Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 12th and 13th, his new and elegant stock. Presents to the amount of \$15.00 will be given to purchasers. A ticket for each 50 cents purchase will entitle the holder to a chance of obtaining the following presents: 1st, Toilet Set, nine pieces; 2nd, a Silk Umbrella; 3rd, Two bottles Lundberg's Extract; 4th, one Silver Card Receiver; 5th, one New Haven Clock; 6th, one Gilbert Clock. Any person indebted to him who settles his or her account on these two days will also be entitled to tickets. His store will be brilliantly illuminated by Japanese lanterns these two nights for the benefit of those who cannot call during the day.

Padgett-Smith.

The marriage of Mr. M. M. Padgett and Miss Minnie Smith, daughter of Mr. S. M. Smith, at Harmony on last Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, was largely attended. The church was elaborately decorated with flowers and evergreens. There were nine couples, attendants, as follows: Mr. L. J. Courtney with Miss Rosa Sease; Mr. Willie Hoffman with Miss Nora Eidson; Mr. Joe Hoffman with Miss Bessie Wright; Mr. S. Mouson Smith with Miss Lena Smith; Mr. Cay Johnson with Miss Mattie Broadwater; Dr. W. Price Timmerman with Miss Ella Hoffman; Mr. Luther Smith with Miss Mattie Marsh; Mr. Oscar Padgett with Miss Bessie Smith; Mr. Dessie Sease with Miss Ada LaGrone. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. M. M. Brabham, of our town. The bride and groom, after a sumptuous repast, left for Windward Park, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post office at Edgefield C. H., Oct. 31st, 1894: J. G. Addison, B. W. Brickman, T. Bolo, James Boddy, T. Gogoden, H. A. Garvin & Co., J. C. Harris, T. L. Hardley, W. S. Harris, John Holmes, Yancy Kimble, col., W. A. Livingston, Mack Martin, L. D. McNeill, Elex Moar, M. E. McKin, Edmond Marshall, Jack Parks, L. N. Rodgers, H. R. Cornelia Sims, G. L. Shealy, Mrs. Gare Bronar, Mrs. Permia Cleary, Miss H. Foley, Miss L. Hill, Miss Doushaker Hall, Rosanna Hestor, Mrs. Harley, Mrs. Malicia Henderson, Mrs. Lizzie C. Johnson, Mrs. S. D. Jones, Mrs. Maud Makie, Mrs. W. D. McNeill, Sarah Pickens, Mrs. Mamie Tants, Mrs. Janie Smith, Jane Shealy, Mrs. Geny Seatte, Mrs. Geny Starter, Mrs. Clara Wise, Mrs. Addie Watson, Mrs. Julia Wand.

Hicks's November.

November comes in with departing storms along eastern coast, but clearing and cold generally through central and western parts. Moon's first quarter on morning of 5th will increase storm tendencies on the 5th and 6th. A cold wave will follow. Be cautious on the lakes. The same advice is given for period 10th to 14th. There is a fixed tendency to storms and gales on all lakes and seas in the Northern Hemisphere annually about this time. Look for rain and snow, and for cold wave and freezing as the clearing succeeds the storm area. The 17th and 18th will bring change to warmer, with probable return of storminess, resulting later in the regular return of cold. A knowledge of the regular periodicity of these storms and changes is of untold value. Seek for such. The 22nd to 25th is the next regular storm period. Remember its western origin and eastern progress. Storms about 27th to 28th, with New Moon to intensify, danger to ships and shipping.

Jurors for November Term.

FIRST WEEK. W. H. Palmer, B. J. Harrison, T. C. Morgan, B. F. May, T. J. Edwards, R. S. Anderson, Peter D. Ouzts, J. W. Muudy, J. D. Mathis, J. S. Amaker, B. L. Jones, G. D. Caughman, J. M. Stone, Larkin Rice, W. B. Bodie, W. O. Carsou, H. S. Quarles, E. H. Cartledge, R. T. Strom, Jos. Thurmond, M. I. Hook, Albert Miller, J. B. Nelson, C. T. Mathis, J. V. Cooper, J. T. Ouzts, P. C. Reynolds, C. B. Boatwright, E. L. Yonce, W. McDaniel, J. C. Whitlock, Arthur Harling, E. H. Lagrone, L. G. Wise, D. P. Butler, J. C. Harley.

40 Years Ago.

Mr. J. A. C. Jones, of Trenton, has handed us an old Augusta Chronicle and Sentinel, dated Feb. 1, 1854, from which we excerpt some matter that may be of interest to our readers. Under the head of "Augusta Prices Current" we find: Bacon, hams, quoted at 10¢/lb; sides, 8¢/lb; hog round, 8¢/lb; coffee, 12¢/lb; flour, country, \$7.75; corn, 80¢/bush; wheat, \$1.00/1.10. Under the head of "Spirits" we find rum quoted at 40¢/45¢ a gallon; New Orleans whiskey, 37¢/40¢; peach brandy, 87¢/1.25; cognac brandy, 2.00/4.00. Sugars, Porto Rico, 7¢/8¢; loaf, 11¢/11½¢; crushed, 10¢/11½¢. Cotton, 84¢/10¢. This old paper of four pages has three entirely taken up with advertisements and there is not a line of editorial or local matter in it, and only one communication. The dispatches are put under the head of "By Magnetic Telegraph." Under the heading of commercial the total receipts of cotton at all the ports for the year 1853 are given at 1,880,889 bales; for 1854 1,270,950 bales. The following we clip from the advertising columns:

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.

Runaway from the subscriber, on the 29th inst., a bright Mulatto BOY, Augustus, between 25 and 30 years old, about 5 feet 10 inches high, wears long woolly hair, and has whiskers extending entirely under his chin. He is a very good foot and shoe maker. He is probably making his way to Augusta, and thence may endeavor to escape by Railroad either North or West. Either alone with a free pass or in company with some white man—and \$25 additional for the white man if detected. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to me, or his confinement in any jail so that I get him.

JOHN BENTLEY.

Lithersville, Lincoln Co., Ga., Jan. 30, 1854.

A CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY—PROFITABLE AND HONORABLE EMPLOYMENT.

The subscriber is desirous of having an Agent in each county and town of the Union. A capital of from \$5 to \$10 only will be required, and anything like an efficient, energetic man can make from \$10 to \$5 per day. Indeed, some of the agents now employed are realizing twice that sum. Every information will be given by addressing (postage paid)

WM. A. KINSLER,

Box 601, Philadelphia Post Office.

PRIZE POULTRY FOR SALE.

A few pairs of very superior Brahma Pootra and Gray Chittagong Fowls; also, Buff, White and Gray Shanghaies, may be obtained by immediate address. It will be recollected that the Brahma Pootra, Chittagongs and Shanghaies of the subscriber were awarded all the prizes in these classes at the late Fair of the Southern Central Agricultural Society; in addition to which was added the highest premium for the "best and greatest variety of Poultry exhibited." Address D. REDMOND, Augusta, Ga.

[For the ADVERTISER.]

Patriotism Undeified—An Emphatic "No" from Mr. Townes.

I have just seen in the daily papers that I am nominated for the Legislature from Edgefield county. I beg you to state in your next issue that I am not a candidate, and will not serve if elected.

I had no intimation of this until I saw it in the papers. I was not consulted, and think my friends paid me a doubtful compliment in nominating me at this late date.

I am grieved to see so much bitterness and strife in the State. I am free to confess I cannot endorse but must condemn many practices that have come into the politics of the Reformers; it therefore stands to reason that I should shun anything looking like "sharp practice."

I am a Democrat for white supremacy and the rule of the Anglo-Saxon.

Respectfully,
H. H. TOWNES.
Poverty Hill, Nov. 3rd.

[For the ADVERTISER.]

Leaves from "Rip Van Winkles" Diary.

Oct. 28th, night.—Carried wife and little "Van" to mother-in-law's to-day to spend a week. "Van" just five months old and very bossy. Guess I'll have some rest at night now.

It is so quiet and nice to night. Think men could dispense with women and jumping-jack babies anyhow. Ain't hungry so will retire supperless and economize thereby.

29th, night.—Woke up wolfish this morning, ate some dry batter cakes which were cooked last week. Ate a radish for dinner, and a turnip for supper. Want to see little "Van."

30th.—Breakfasted sumptuously on burned bread, butter, cheese, eggs, and company preserves. Cold grub for dinner. Turnip for supper. Anxious to see "Van," wouldn't object to seeing Mrs. "Winkle."

31st.—Got up too late to cook breakfast, haven't eaten much since yesterday. Know this is the loneliest place on earth. Had rather live in a tomb.

All is as silent as death, except the old clock which I never heard in my nineteen months of married life, but now it ticks so loudly it fairly shakes the house. Saw a ghost last night.

Nov. 1st.—Ate a little meal mush to-day, but kept thinking about poultice all the time. On leaving Mrs. "Winkle" ordered me to churn on Monday, but the milk wouldn't turn till to-day. Wonder what she puts in it to make it turn. Churned five hours this eve and adjourned till to-morrow.

3rd.—Got no appetite. Spent most of the day hunting my hat. The house is a sight. Bed begins to need making up—all the feathers are kicked to the foot—will change heading and kick them back.

3rd.—Don't eat anything more, but dream of free dinners and barbecues. Am a mere shadow of my old self. Saw another ghost last night. Oh, that this night was passed that I may be on my way to bring the incomparable Mrs. "Winkle" and sweet little "Van" home. Even tho' a thousand mother's-in-law awaited me with frowning brow, even tho' I swim rivers of blood, of fire, of brimstone, and liquid death, I bring, I bring them. Without women man's a savage, a hog. She is the main-spring of civilization, the queen who sits enthroned in my heart, eye, and ear.

Hardware at starvation prices at the New York Racket Store.

Several Rolls of Jointless Matting at 20¢ and 25¢, worth 35¢ and 40¢, at Ramsey & Bland's.

Notice! - Notice!

Having obtained charter privileges to operate "THE PEOPLES MUTUAL FIRE ASSOCIATION" throughout the different counties of the State of Georgia, and the State being a very large one, containing 137 counties, have decided to tell the remainder of my territory at very low figures.

This plan of insurance has been operated in this (Edgefield) county and throughout the State of South Carolina under the name of "The Farmers' Mutual Fire Association." There is no change in the plan of insurance only a slight change in the name. The price of counties range from \$50 to \$100 each, owing to the size of the county and the number you buy. Now all I ask is that you find out from the treasurer of your county association how much insurance was written up in this county and multiply that by 50 cents per hundred (the amount the agent collects), and I am sure you will be convinced that you cannot find a business that will pay you near so well.

I can refer you to quite a number of men now at work in Georgia if you require it.

It will pay you to communicate with me.
J. P. MAHON,
SOLE OWNER OF CHARTER,
NEWBERRY, S. C.

Complete Fertilizers

for potatoes, fruits, and all vegetables require (to secure the largest yield and best quality)

At Least 10% Actual Potash.

Results of experiments prove this conclusively. How and why, is told in our pamphlets.

They are sent free. It will cost you nothing to read them, and they will save you dollars.
GERMAN KALI WORKS, 93 Nassau Street, New York.

\$50,000 WORTH

OF

CLOTHING

AT

50¢ ON THE \$1.00.

NEW STORE IN AUGUSTA.

717 Broad Street, Opposite the Monument.

Where you will find \$50,000 worth of FINE CLOTHING at 50¢ on the dollar. This is an opportunity of a life time.

Come in and see, or write us for what you want.

Nothing like these prices ever offered.

EADS, NEEL & CO.,

717 Broad Street,

Opposite Monument.

STOVES.

When You Want

a Good

Cooking Stove

CALL ON
D. L. Fullerton,
628 Broad St., AUGUSTA, GA.

Prices Reduced.
Established 30 Years.

THE PLYMOUTH ROCK PANTS CO.

Is giving better quality of cloth and better workmanship than ever before.

Pants \$3 to \$10.25.

Suits \$13.25 to \$50.

Overcoats \$10.25 to \$26.

Remember Plymouth Rock Prices.

714 Broadway, Augusta, Ga.

FIELD & KELLY,

949 Broad Street and 946 Jones Street, AUGUSTA, GA.

WE SELL ALL THE COUNTRY PEOPLE THEIR

BUGGIES, HARNESS AND WAGONS.

"WHY?" Because we give them the best goods for the least money.

N. D. WHITE,

Wholesale and Retail Liquor Dealer,

Proprietor of the MURRAY HILL CORN WHISKEY DISTILLERY, AUGUSTA, GA.

And the McCURDY N. C. MOUNTAIN DISTILLERY.

948 BROAD STREET, AUGUSTA, GA.

Two Doors Below FLYNN'S AUCTION HOUSE.

BEST QUALITY OF RYE WHISKIES. ORDERS SOLICITED. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

R. BALDOWSKI, formerly with D. Sancken, is now with me and would be pleased to have his many friends call on him, and will give them prices to suit the times.

In order that the public may be convinced that my Murray Hill Corn Whiskey is the purest made I publish a certificate which speaks for itself:
CITY HOSPITAL,
AUGUSTA, GA., Feb. 9th, 1894.
This is to certify, that I have examined the "Murray Hill" Whiskey, manufactured by N. D. White, Augusta, Ga., and find it chemically pure, and I use it in my hospital.
Very respectfully,
W. C. LYLE, M. D.,
Resident Physician City Hospital.

T. BUTLER MALLARD, Manager. V. B. McILVAINE, Tampa, Fla.

Mallard & McIlvaine,

Wholesale Dealers in —

Salt Water Fish of all Kinds.

We have opened up a branch of our Tampa, Fla., wholesale fish house, in Augusta, Ga., where we will have in season, a full line of salt water fish of all kinds, such as LARGE SOUTH MULLET, Sheepshead, Trout, Bass, Pompano, Spanish Mackerel, Blue Fish, and Perch. Mullet is our specialty.

At our Fishery in Tampa, we have every facility for catching fish, and of getting them through to Augusta in the quickest possible time.

Our Fish Fleet in the Gulf, is composed of six large vessels, and a number of smaller ones, with fifty of the best fishermen on the coast to catch the fish.

Prices furnished on application. Terms C. O. D., or cash with order. Give us a trial and we will endeavor to please you.

Mallard & McIlvaine,
555 Broadway, - AUGUSTA, GA.

Does This Hit You?

The management of the Equitable Life Assurance Society in the Department of the Carolinas, wishes to secure a few Special Resident Agents. Those who are fitted for this work will find this

A Rare Opportunity

It is work, however, and those who succeed best in it possess character, mature judgment, tact, perseverance, and the respect of their community. Think this matter over carefully. There's an unusual opening for somebody. If it fits you, it will pay you. Further information on request.

W. J. Roddey, Manager, Rock Hill, S. C.

THE PRICE OF PHOTOGRAPHS

IS GREATLY REDUCED.

Just received apparatus for taking Children's Photographs quicker than heretofore.

Photographs taken in CLOUDY WEATHER.

R. H. MIMS.

Tax Notice.

I WILL be at the following places, on the 1st days and dates named, for the purpose of collecting taxes. The levy for the present fiscal year is as follows: For State tax, 5 mills; ordinary county, 2 mills; bridges, 1 mill; court expenses, 3/4 mill; school tax, 2 mills; past indebtedness, 1/2 mill. Total mills, 10 1/4. A poll tax of \$1.00 on all male citizens between the ages of 21 and 50. There is a special tax of 2 mills on all property in the corporate limits of the town of Edgefield, including railroad property, to pay interest on the bonded debt of the town. Also a special tax of 3 mills for school purposes on all property in the Ridge Spring district including railroad property.

Trenton, Monday, Oct. 15.
Johnston, Tuesday, " 16.
Wards, Wednesday, 17th till 12 m.
Ridge Spring, " after 12 m.
Helen's Cross Roads, " 18.
Watson's Store, " 19.
Richardsonville, " 20.
Forrester's Store, " 21.
Caughman's, " 22.
Kinard's, " 23.
Mt. Willing, " 24.
Pearl's, " 25.
Dennis, " 26.
Coleman's Cross Roads, Monday, " 27.
A. P. Coleman's, " 28.
Owens, " 29.
Haltiwanger's, " 30.
S. S. West, " Nov. 1.
Stevens's, " 2.
Williams Mill, " 3.
Kilgus, " 4.
Callison, " 5.
Minors, " 6.
Longmire's, " 7.
Plan Branch, " 8.
Lorville, " 9.
Moores, " 10.
Clark Hill, " 11.
Merriweather Hall, " 12.
Red Hill, " 13.
Quarles, " 14.
Pleasant Lane, " 15.
Meeting Street, " 16.

From the 21st of November until the 31st of December, I will be at the Treasurer's office at Edgefield, after which time 15 per cent. penalty will be added to all delinquencies.

W. L. STEVENS,
Treas. E. C.

W. L. DOUGLAS

\$3 SHOE IS THE BEST. NO SQUARING.

\$5 CORDOV